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| PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)  |                                      | Docket Number (Optional) L8494.01101 |                  |
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| In re Application of Toshiyuki UEHARA, et al.   |                                      |                                      |                  |
|   | Application Number                   |                                      | Filed            |
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|   | For ALUMINUM-ALLOY THERMAL EXCHANGER |                                      |                  |
|   | Group Art Unit Examine               |                                      | Examiner         |
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| This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.  |                                      |                                      |                  |
| The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):  |                                      |                                      |                  |
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| Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))  |                                      | \$                                   |                  |
| Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))   |                                      | \$                                   |                  |
| Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))   |                                      | \$                                   |                  |
| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$  A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.      |                                      |                                      |                  |
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